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## Centerville Stores Burned Down

### BUSY DAY IN NILES COURT

A. B. Hall of Richmond, arrested on a charge of exceeding the speed limit in his automobile on the Warm Springs road, came unpleasantly close to a jail sentence for contempt of court when he appeared before Judge Mattos at Niles Monday morning. When brought into court and asked his plea, Hall said:

"I don't want to have anything to do with this court. I want a change of venue to Oakland, where I can get a square deal."

Deputy District Attorney Myron A. Harris jumped to his feet. Justice Mattos started up from the bench. Harris protested. Justice Mattos regained his breath and delivered a lengthy, scorching lecture, after which Hall meekly pleaded not guilty. He will be tried before a jury on April 19.

Some amusement was afforded the court when apertly, well dressed man answered to the name of J. K. Walker. He was charged with having driven his car at the rate of thirty-eight miles an hour.

"Do you know who I am? he demanded of the court and everyone in general."

"I don't know as anyone around here cares particularly," answered the court.

"Well, I am the president of the Santa Fe railroad. I reside at Fresno. Can't you make it a little easier for me?"

He was fined \$25. In all, eight alleged speeders appeared before the court of the Peace Monday. Two of them were minors, and were certified to the juvenile court in Oakland. The other sixteen paid fines of \$25 each, a total of \$400.

### GIVE THE "KIDS" A CHANCE

Up to a few years ago, it never occurred to older people that Young America needs a nice place to play in. It is commonly supposed that a live boy would find plenty of amusement in selling newspapers, running errands, or hoeing the back yard garden. If he must have his game of ball once in a while, there was the street or some one's vacant lot.

As a matter of fact, it often happens, even in the country town, that there was no place where a set of boys could play a game of ball without being ordered to quit.

Most American towns were laid out with no provision for the children. There was ample foresight for anything in which money could be made. Railroads and factories never lacked opportunities. Land was given to attract them. But the cases where land was given where young people could play their games freely, and work off superfluous and threatening energy, were rarely seen.

In the larger cities the modern playground, with a tangle of yelling kids, is a sight to do a wholesome hearted person good. The boy who is chasing a baseball is not robbing fruit nor loafing on the street corners.

A playground entertaining a large crowd of children does not fully serve its mission unless carefully supervised by some competent person. The average boy gets altogether too much fun from tormenting somebody under his size. Also the average crowd of 12-year-olds is very far from being ready for self government.

But even if a neighborhood or a village can merely open up a vacant lot and turn the youngsters loose the results are worth while.

### ROGERS ELECTED TRUSTEE OF UNION HIGH SCHOOL

The following is the vote cast at the election for trustee of Washington Union High School at the election held April 2.

Vote cast for J. E. Rogers:

### PROBATION FOR GOZA OPPOSED BY HINES

Presistently refusing the services of an attorney, Zelbert Goza, the bell boy bandit, who on march 9 shot and seriously wounded Charles Evans, cashier of the Niles Bank, in an unsuccessful attempt to rob the place, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to rob before Judge Ogden Tuesday morning. He asked that his case be referred to the probation officer, who will report on April 27.

Judge Ogden instructed Goza as to his rights in court, and offered to appoint an attorney to look after his interests. Goza refused. District Attorney W. H. L. Hynes then announced that he would oppose probation.

"I don't want the impression to get out that any man who commits his first felony offense is entitled to probation," he said. "Goza is guilty of a serious crime, and I will not favor he be released on probation."

### WESLEY GARAGE AGENCY FOR UNITED STATES TIRES

The Wesley Garage, under the supervision of A. E. Champion, has received the agency for the famous United States Tires, known throughout the world for their endurance and other good qualities. The garage now employs a first class machinist, who recently came here from Sacramento, and is capable of handling successfully and automobile or motorcycle work.

This Garage is equipped with all necessary tools and machinery for the repair of all makes of automobiles.

### FAMILY REUNION

Many of this week, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trimmingham had a family reunion. Members of the family attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Trimmingham and Mrs. George of Pleasanton, Mr. and Mrs. Trimmingham and Earl Trimmingham of Sunol, and Mrs. N. B. Laurence of San Mateo.

Mr. Charles Trimmingham is one of our enterprising merchants, who with his family, resides in Niles.

### MRS. NELSON RETURNS FROM SAN JOSE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Fred Nelson, who was taken to the hospital in San Jose about 10 days ago, to undergo an operation, has returned to her home in Niles. While not yet strong, she is recovering nicely to the joy of her many friends. She motored home in company with Mr. Nelson, her sister and Pete Whitfield.

W. H. Jackson, Irvington tailor, has received his Spring and Summer samples.

### INFIRMARY A FIRE TRAP

That, owing to the presence of terra cotta flues and unsafe chimneys, the buildings of the county infirmary constitute a fire danger and therefore a raise in insurance rates was probable, was the statement made before the board of supervisors by J. Neal Harris, insurance expert. Harris declared that immediate action should be taken to correct the defects in the building as a reinspection for determining insurance rates would be soon made by the board of fire underwriters, following the installation of a moving picture apparatus in the infirmary assembly room.

Upon the suggestion of Supervisor Joseph Kelley, the matter was referred to Supervisor Heyer, chairman of the hospital committee, with power to act. According to Kelley, the cost of changes and repair will be under \$500, which amount will be saved in the resultant changes in insurance rates.

A petition for the renewal of the saloon license of Ludwig Hanson, favorably acted upon by the committee, was passed, while the application of M. T. Azavedo, at Warm Springs, for a license was put over pending investigation.

A petition from residents in Eden township for improvements to a road running through the Stone and Jennings property in Eden township, was passed, and a committee consisting of County Surveyor Perry A. Haviland, J. J. Donovan and E. J. Holland was appointed to investigate and report.

According to the monthly report of Sheriff Barnett, the county jail housed 129 prisoners during March. Among the usual proportions of pickpockets, sneak thieves, drunks and "dopes" were to be found a number of criminals who have held the public eye for some time. This list includes Alfred Sells, slayer of the Vogels; John Barnett, a daring holdup, and Thomas Toohig and his wife, who a few weeks ago came into prominence through their accusations against Dr. Derrick, in which the Oakland physician was alleged to have been the father of Mrs. Toohig's baby.

Two road surveys were ordered, one being on the Mission road, west of Warm Springs, and the other being the section of the state highway in and through Niles.

An automobile for Sheriff Barnett was authorized.

Thomas Jensen of Oakland, who has been spending the last couple of weeks at the home of his uncle, A. Jensen, returned to his home on Wednesday.

### NATIVE SONS TO ENTERTAIN INMATES

For the benefit and pleasure of the inmates at the County Infirmiry, the Native Sons will on Monday night April 12th arrange a program to be followed by dancing that will be of a high order. Commencing at 7:30 o'clock motion pictures will be shown and at 8:30 the Brooklyn Parlor minstrels will be heard and seen, besides talent from Piedmont Parlor has volunteered their services. The arranging of the affair is in the hands of Storekeeper J. J. Dignan who is a prominent Native Son and Superintendent C. A. Wills. A large delegation of Native Sons and others will accompany the Parlor to the County Infirmiry.—San Leandro Standard.

### WOODCRAFT DANCE AND ROSE DRILL SATURDAY EVE.

The ladies of Hazel Circle, Women of Woodcraft, have made elaborate preparations for their dance and rose drill to be given in Connors Hall Saturday evening, April 10th. No effort has been spared to advertise the affair which undoubtedly will draw people from all parts of the township.

Sykes' four piece orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music, and a guarantee that the musical part of the program will be a treat.

The admission price will be 50 cents per couple, children 10 cents and extra ladies 25 cents.

### MRS. DUTRA DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Mrs. M. Dutra, who resided on the Centerville road, and who was taken to an Oakland hospital Monday suffering from an attack of pneumonia, passed away Wednesday night.

She was a native of the Azores Islands and was 64 years old. She is a pioneer of this community, settling here about 40 years ago.

She leaves to mourn her loss six sons and three daughters, George, Manuel, Joe, Toney and William, Theresa, Mary, Annie and Julia.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

### TRINITY GUILD

Trinity Guild met on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Clarence Martenstein. The day being stormy, the attendance was smaller than usual. nine ladies were present and spent a cosy social afternoon together.

Contributions were solicited for the Whist tournament in Guild Hall on Friday evening of this week. A general attendance is expected by the Guild members. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess before adjournment.

### ROGERS AND KELL ELECTED TRUSTEES

The election last Friday for a high school trustee and a trustee for Niles grammar school aroused keen interest, a good big vote turning out. The interest in the grammar school trustee was watched with most interest on account of the entrance of Mr. Clark in opposition to Andrew Kell, incumbent and candidate for re-election, Kell winning by a large majority.

J. E. Rogers, incumbent, was candidate to succeed himself for high school trustee and was reelected over several other candidates who received only small votes.

The following is the vote cast for high school trustee:

Vote cast for J. E. Rogers:	
Niles	89
Alviso	15
Sheridan	8
Alvarado	29
Mission San Jose	38
Decoto	12
Centerville	82
Warm Springs	61
Irvington	34
Mowry's Landing	5
Newark	70
Total	443

Vote cast for Henry May:

Alvarado	9
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Vote cast for F. Falk:

Alvarado	2
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Vote cast for F. Weigman, Jr.:

Alvarado	2
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Vote cast for Frank Sayles:

Alvarado	4
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### JACK OLIVER SUCCESSFUL SELLING HUPMOBILES

Jack Oliver, formerly of the Niles Garage, now acting as agent and demonstrator in this section of the county for the 1915 Hupmobile, is meeting with success far beyond his expectations. He believes he has one of the best cars on the market for the price. Last week he sold a model K, 35 horse power car to John Martin of Centerville, who is now enjoying the pleasures of a high class machine. Aside from this, Mr. Oliver has three deliveries for next week, and several prospective buyers in view.

### CHINESE WOMAN SHOT IN DUEL AT ALVARADO

Much excitement was created Monday in the Oriental section of Alvarado, when a Chinese man by the name of One See Wah, a Niles farmer, shot and seriously wounded an unidentified Chinese woman. The would-be murderer immediately mounted a bicycle and fled. Before going far the bicycle gave way and he started out afoot, going in the direction of the railroad.

Constable Rose was immediately notified, and accompanied by Constable Soito, started in pursuit. The Chinese was apprehended after a short chase and brought to Niles. Deputy Sheriffs Soares, Jones and Sweeney arrived from Oakland and took the prisoner to the county jail.

Niles Rebekah lodge held its regular meeting Friday evening, April 2. One new member was initiated. There was a large attendance, a number of visitors from Irvington, and Hayward being present. After the meeting closed, coffee, ice cream and cake were served. The lodge is gaining rapidly in new members.

On Monday evening, April 12, the N. S. G. W., in conjunction with the board of supervisors, will dedicate the new moving picture machine at the county infirmiry. A program will be given, and also dancing will be part of the entertainment. The members of Laura Loma aPrior are invited to attend.

Orient Chapter O. E. S., will hold a special meeting on April 21 to initiate five new members. On April 28 District Deputy Grand Matron Blanch Kirk will make her official visit.

Miss Fay Smith of Berkeley is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Green.

Mr. Martin Dansen of Indianapolis has been visiting his relatives, the Tyson families.

### PROPERTY DESTROYED REACHES \$20,000

An entire block of buildings in the business section of Centerville was burned to the ground early last Saturday morning, the damage amounting to nearly \$20,000.

Scores of residents assisted the Centerville and Newark departments in fighting the fire, which was prevented only by heroic effort from destroying the entire business quarters of the town. Houses and stores in adjacent blocks caught fire from flying sparks and widows were broken by the intense heat from the blazing mass of wooden buildings.

Among the buildings destroyed by the fire which was the most destructive in the history of the town, were: The Justice Court, Hansen's hall, the drug store of A. Lernhart, the bakery of A. Bartoletti, where the flames were said to have originated, and vacant stores. Bartoletti and his employees were working in the bakery at 2 o'clock Saturday morning when fat used for baking caught fire, the flames spreading to the surrounding woodwork. Baffling attempts to quench the flames at the bakery failed.

The fire gained, and within a few minutes the bakery was ablaze and the flames broke into the premises above.

Calls were sent to the Centerville and Newark fire departments, and residents, awakened by the glare and roar of the fire, organized to help the firemen save the surrounding property.

Fearing the flames might spread over other blocks, residents in the vicinity prepared to make a hurried removal. Had there been a moderate wind to fan the fire all efforts to save the rest of the business center would have proved fruitless.

Building after building in the big block went up in smoke and flames, the fire working from the direction of the railroad tracks. Its progress was checked as it reached the Bank of Centerville a new building, together with the plumbing store of George Coit, being the only buildings in the block to escape destruction.

The alarming spectacle of the blazing block when the fire was at its height caused the liveliest apprehension for the safety of the rest of the town, which is composed largely of wooden buildings.

To the accompaniment of the crackling of burning wood and bursts of flame, which threatened to leap to other buildings across the intervening roadway, sparks showering on surrounding wooden structures. Windows a block away cracked under the heat and the outlook at one time was ominous.

The fire department finally confined their attempts to holding the fire in the block where it originated and to saving the bank building, which was most threatened. In this they were successful.

With the exception of the bank and plumber's store, the rest of the block one of the finest in Centerville, was razed.

The greater part of the damage is said to be covered by insurance.

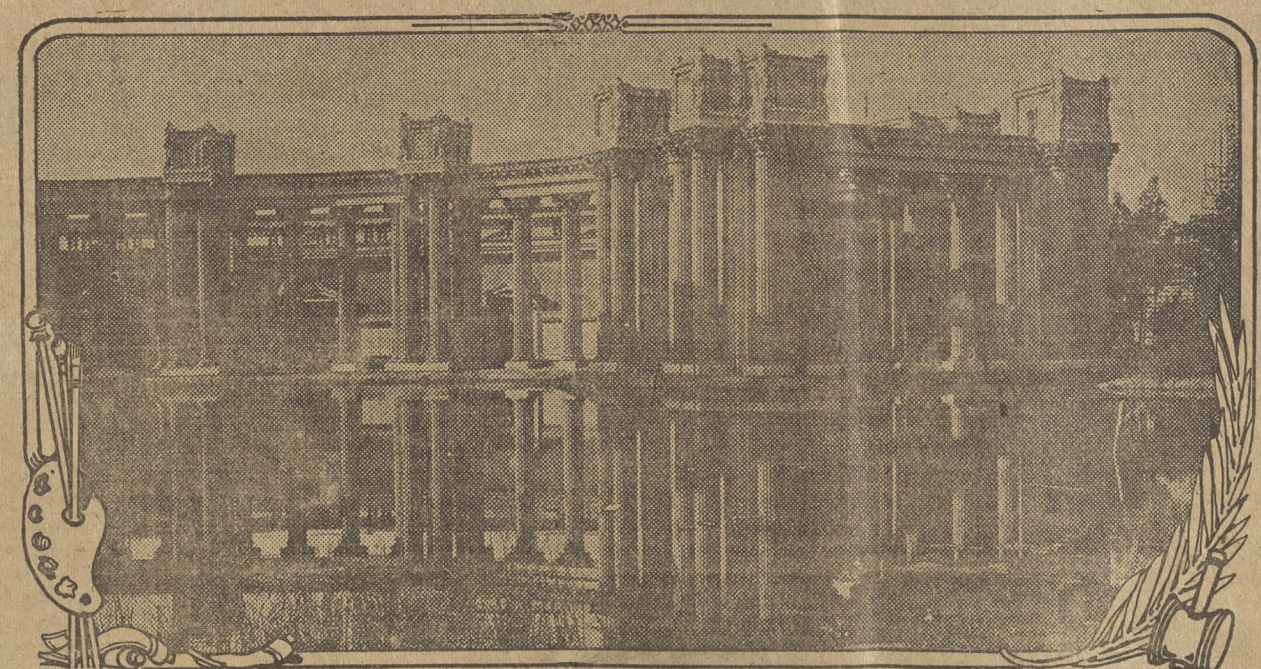
### CATHOLIC SEWING SOCIETY TO HOLD DANCE

The ladies in charge of the dance to be given by the Catholic Sewing Society of Centerville have made elaborate preparations, and everything is in readiness for an evening of pleasure. The dance will be held in the Town Hall on April 10th. Admission will be 50 cents for gentlemen and ladies free.

Refreshments will be served during the evening. Music will be furnished by the Centerville Concert Band.

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### Just a Hint of the Beauties of the Palace of Fine Arts at the Great 1915 Exposition



EXQUISITE colonnade of the Palace of Fine Arts at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco. The building, which is of steel and concrete construction, is Roman in architecture and fronts upon a great lagoon, which it partly envelops. The Palace of Fine Arts cost over \$600,000. Here will be seen a notable collection of the great works of foreign and American painters and sculptors.







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In these modern days of heavy armament and scientific war equipment, much thought has been given to our coast defense. The question of preparedness is one that concerns all patriotic Americans for it is always the unexpected attack that causes consternation.

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### Charity.

Organized or unorganized, all charity is good if it helps the deserving, and in the general proposition prompt giving is more desirable than professional machinery. All the time and effort wasted in criticism might well be used with larger comfort to those who need food and clothes.

### Had No Chance.

"Honesty pays in the long run," counseled the visitor. "Perhaps you're right," admitted the man in the stripes "but a cop got me before I'd gone 100

yards."—Baltimore American.

## WOMEN FROM 45 to 55 TESTIFY

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Westbrook, Me.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and had pains in my back and side and was so weak I could hardly do my housework. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has done me a lot of good. I will recommend your medicine to my friends and give you permission to publish my testimonial."—Mrs. LAWRENCE MARTIN, 12 King St., Westbrook, Maine.

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## SHE GAVE HIM LIFE

And in Return He Saved Her From Grave and Imminent Danger.

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS.

John Cranborn was one of the idle poor. He had spent the greater part of his life in condemnation of those people who had chanced either by their own endeavor or by that of their forefathers to have acquired wealth. Cranborn was one of those men who believed that the world and the idle rich owed him a living.

On Cranborn's side, however, and a circumstance that somewhat lessened the conclusive evidence against him, was the fact that he had been orphaned at an early day in his life. Being of a retiring nature, he had never inveigled himself into a circle other than one of indifference to his own welfare. Those within his circle had no ambition of their own and, therefore, none to instill into anyone else. Cranborn drifted into marriage without an influence for good or evil having left its mark on him. If his mind was unenriched from lack of energy, so also was his body, and Cranborn found himself at twenty-five lying in a hospital without the necessary strength to undergo an operation.

Perhaps for the first time in his life Cranborn desired to go on living. He wished that he had spent less money on cigarettes and more on bread, so that his body would not be in the humiliating position of abject weakness. A spark of anger flamed in his eyes. All the strength of his mind concentrated itself in condemnation of the rich and idle, who had not only food in abundance but all the luxuries that he lacked.

The soft purring of a limousine at the hospital door only augmented Cranborn's grievance and he turned his face to the wall. He would not have believed had he been told at the moment that the young lady stepping out of the limousine had come that her blood might be transfused into his, Cranborn's veins.

When he turned his face from the wall at the command of the surgeon, Cranborn shrank within himself.

Beautiful and glowing with wonderful vitality and health was the girl who stood beside the surgeon. "This young lady is going to give you a new life," Doctor Lyman said. "I am going to transfuse some of her blood into your body."

"I won't let her do it," Cranborn muttered weakly and turned his shamed face away from the radiant girl in whose eyes shone a great pity.

"But you will not deprive me of the pleasure it will afford me," she said quickly in a voice so musical that Cranborn vibrated with the rhythm of it. "You see I have been on Doctor Lyman's list for a long time and never before have I been allowed to give my blood to any of his patients. Now he has called me here because my blood agrees in certain pathological particulars with yours, and I do so want to do this little good in the world." She was looking with actual pleading now into the eyes she had compelled to meet her own. "I have everything in the world save the knowledge that I have saved a human life. Surely you will not rob me of this opportunity?"

A weak sob shook Cranborn's body and he closed his eyes. Doctor Lyman motioned the girl to remove her wraps. The surgeon then prepared his large caliber needle by which the vein to vein sewing and consequent scarring is avoided, but Cranborn must have been unconscious during the proceeding, for he knew no more until a warm, contented sense of well being permeated his body. The room had grown dark and he was alone except for his nurse, who sat quietly beside him.

Cranborn would have spoken save that a complete sense of shame held him silent. A woman, or rather, a mere girl, and one of the idle rich he had so systematically condemned, had given her life blood to save him. His useless, good-for-nothing body had been purified, strengthened and made whole by the act of charity that not one out of a thousand persons could offer. Pure blood did not run in every set of veins. Had the girl been a needy person who was making the blood sacrifice for the twenty-five dollar fee she could earn, Cranborn might have remained the Cranborn of his early manhood. But the fact that a girl, beautiful, wealthy and refined, had offered practically her life that he might be saved flung Cranborn once and for all time into a path where no shadows of past failures were to darken the way.

After the successful operation he lay regaining his strength and planning some kind of a future for himself.

The girl, Edith McVicker, came a few days afterward to see how Cranborn was progressing and to assure him that she had in no way suffered by the transfusion. Doctor Lyman had advised the call, since Cranborn was torn by doubts as to her welfare.

"But why do you feel called upon to risk your life in this way for one that may be worthless? Doctor Lyman tells me that your name is down on the lists of four surgeons, and that you might be called upon at any time to make this sacrifice?" Cranborn

asked her, while his eyes looked steadily into her clear, sparkling ones. "Principally because the dearest brother in the world was saved to me by the generous transmission which was offered him by a man who was down and out. I have always vowed to seek and seek until I could give a life for a life and in some way repay the great debt of gratitude. The man who saved my brother has climbed up the ladder of fame now and—"

"And you have given your life to me," Cranborn said softly, "and I, too, God willing, will build up this physical body of mine so that my name will one day appear on the surgeon's list that is honored by yours. I, too, will plan to give a life for a life."

When she had left him Cranborn realized that from the moment of her coming into his life he had seemed to be a different man. Was it her influence or merely the awakening of the latent ambition within him? He chose to attribute the change to Edith McVicker and her wonderful fund of human sympathy. That she was happier for having saved his life was more than evident in the calm joy that radiated through her being. She had not so definitely expressed that feeling at the first meeting, and Cranborn knew that if doing good makes one so completely happy, then good it was that he intended to do. He smiled softly in silent condemnation of the idle poor—the circle from which he had flown. Perhaps, then, a year or two later, the happiest day of his life occurred when he saved a life and felt the same radiance flooding his being that Edith McVicker had felt when she had given life blood to a dying man.

Cranborn had been riding his mare in the early morning when a second mare, frightened by the din of a motorcycle, dashed toward him. Cranborn had only time to grasp the situation, see the rocky precipice over which the frightened mare would hurl her rider and to swing himself like a flash from the saddle.

He opened his eyes after being dragged and looked straight into Edith McVicker's own. He felt her sigh of relief.

"I thought I was never going to find you," was all Cranborn said in the first dazed moment. He was dazed principally because the girl's soft fingers were trailing over the bruise on his forehead just as they had often trailed in the dreams he had of her.

"We seem destined to keep each other in the land of the living," the girl said a trifle unsteadily, for aside from the shock of that frightened horse Cranborn's eyes were gazing wonderingly at her. A new color

sprang into her cheeks. "We can make them lives that are well worth saving if—if you could love me. I have been most successful since you came into my life and I have wanted to tell you that and something else for—well at least for two years."

Edith laughed softly and remembered the many hours she had sat trying to think of someone except the man in the hospital who had tried to refuse to permit her blood to be transfused into his veins.

"Two years is a frightfully long time," she said with eyes that encouraged an immediate making up for lost time.

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### Dog That Saved His Master.

I must write you just one story that came to me at the ambulance just before Christmas, even though it is a little late. We had a French soldier brought in frightfully wounded. He came from the region around St. Michel. One leg had to be amputated, and, besides that, he had half a dozen other wounds. His dog came with him—a hunting dog of some kind. The dog had saved his master's life. They were in the trenches together, when a shell burst in such a way as to collapse the whole trench. Everyone in it was killed or buried in the collapse, and this dog dug and dug until he got his master's face free, so that he could breathe, and then he sat by him until some re-enforcements came and dug them all out. Everyone was dead but this man.

"Isn't that a beautiful little story? We have both the dog and the man with us. The dog has a little house all to himself in the court, and he has blankets and lots of petting, and every day he is allowed to be with his master for a little while."—Letter from Dr. Mary Merritt Crawford, in Paris, to New York Times.

### To Study Coal Tar Products.

Thomas N. Norton, late American consul at Chemnitz, Germany, has been appointed a commercial agent of the department of commerce to undertake a special investigation of the chemical industry in the United States, particularly in respect to coal tar products. It is hoped by the department that his report will be helpful in the development of synthetic dyestuff manufactured in the United States. Those who wish to offer suggestions to Mr. Norton may address him in care of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Washington, D. C. He is an expert chemist, and the author of two monographs on chemical subjects.

### Couldn't Lose Him.

"I understand your party threw you overboard at the convention," remarked one political candidate to another. "Yes, that's right," replied the other, "but fortunately I was strong enough to swim to the other side."

### Mournful Industry.

One French industry that has grown apace since the beginning of August is the making of those funeral wreaths with which the cemeteries in France are always so primly decorated. Many a soldier's grave is marked today only by a cross and a cheap little tricolor waving gloriously in the transient sunshine, but there is a big demand among those who may bring their lost ones nearer home to rest for the conventional mourning wreaths. The shop windows are filled with these things and with promises that orders will be instantly fulfilled at the workshops.

One imagines that the very finicky work must keep a large number of girls employed, for all those elaborately twisted designs of flowers and foliage are made of wire strung with the tiniest of beads, and enormous quantities must be used for every wreath. The designs do not seem to have varied. The favorite is still the wreath of heartsease worked out in melancholy lid shades of purple, blue and gray-green, but the words in running script across the design are "Mort pour la Patrie."

### Might Help Some.

"I am willing to give a woman what her ability entitles her to, but I don't think a woman should get a man's wages."

"I wish you would say that to my wife."

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### Where He Came In.

A witty barrister, says an English paper, who did not object to a joke at his own expense, was asked, on returning from circuit, how he had got on. "Well," was the reply, "I saved the lives of two or three prisoners." "Then you defended them for murder?" "No," was the rejoinder, "I prosecuted them for it."

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### Just a Hint.

"Now, men," said the genial employer, as his hands clustered round him at the breakfast hour, "this is the election, and I hope you are all going to vote. Now, I'm not going to tell you my favorite candidate is. Every one of you is to be entirely free to vote as he thinks best. But do you see that big barrel of beer over in the corner? Well, that barrel won't be opened unless X— gets in."

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Nowadays, when two irresistible bodies meet, the usual course is for them to join hands and take a few turns in the maxixe or the hesitation. —Judge.

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## EDITORIAL PAGE--TOWNSHIP REGISTER

News from our  
Neighboring Towns

## Irvington Locals

Mrs. Terry and son of Oakland are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan.

Mr. Denister of San Jose was a visitor in town on Thursday.

Mr. William Trenouth Jr. spent a few days in San Jose.

T. A. Griffin took a business trip to San Francisco on Thursday.

A. F. Driscoll took a business trip to Los Angeles to be gone about a week.

Mrs. Julia Streven of Hayward spent Sunday at the Griffin home.

Mrs. Mylie and children of Gustine spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Al Hirsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hamilton of Dunsmuir spent the week end with Miss Maria Babb.

Master Gene Babb is spending a week with his father.

T. Witherly, Joe Medeiros, J. L. Costa and E. Graybill motored to San Francisco on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnam motored to Livermore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks and son of Chicago are here on a few weeks visit to her parents, Dr and Mrs. C. A. Lutz.

School is closed for ten days vacation.

G. Olinder is spending his vacation with his parents in San Jose.

The Christian Endeavor gave Dr. Durham a birthday surprise party at the Christian church Thursday evening.

Mrs. Bessie Engel and children are visiting friends in San Jose.

E. A. Lutz purchased a new Dodge automobile from Mr. Chadbourn this week.

Thomas Powers took a trip to Oakland Tuesday.

Mr. Silva of Niles bought a lot on

## Alvarado Items

Mrs. T. E. McCarty, who underwent an operation last week at the Alameda Sanitarium, is slowly improving.

Mrs. J. H. Ralph spent Monday in Alameda.

Miss Charlotte Jung, who is attending the San Francisco normal school, is home for a two weeks vacation.

Mr. C. Boyle was taken to the hospital a few days ago to undergo an operation.

Little Vernon Kaiser had his tonsils and adenoids removed Tuesday at the Alameda Sanitarium.

A little excitement was caused here Monday when a Chinaman shot his brother's wife with whom it seems he was infatuated. He fled on a bicycle, which he later discarded. He was captured a few hours later on the railroad track by Tom Albreo and taken to Niles.

C. W. Jones spent Saturday and Sunday in Oakland.

Mrs. Frank Roderick of Alviso district was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Amaral one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tainton have their little baby, Edgar Milstead, christened in the Episcopal church at Centerville last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ralph acted as god father and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Laplante spent a few days last week in San Francisco.

## Centerville

A. T. Borst of Coalinga was with us Tuesday night.

Rev. W. T. Highby preached in Berkeley Good Friday morning and in St. James in the evening.

Easter services were well attended in St. James there was the usual morning services. The church was decorated with flowers and vines. In the afternoon at 3:30 the Sunday school gave the service. There was baptism of four children. The boys will repeat their song on next Sunday.

St. James Guild meets with Mrs. Nesmith on Wednesday of this week.

The fire of last week should teach some lessons. When the buildings are replaced they should be of better material and not so close together.

Mrs. A. Lernhart was fortunate in saving a great deal of the contents of her drug store. She has opened up her store in the hotel.

The United Artisans will give their party Thursday evening. A very delightful party is being planned by the Newark and Alvarado ladies to be given at the beautiful new club house on Saturday. Both dancing and cards will be open to those attending.

Mrs. Thearsa Dutra was taken to the Oakland Central Hospital, seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. M. Furtado of Berryessa was visiting her cousin, Mrs. William Furtado last Friday.

John Martin is a proud owner of a five passenger Hupmobile.

Born—On March 22, to the wife of Manuel Dutra, a baby boy.

Little Philip Souza has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Joseph Fields is slowly improving from her recent illness. Dr. Emerson is her attending physician.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

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Alameda County Water  
District Meets  
With Protest

Pertinent questions of taxpayers may result in recall.—Interest of the people to be protected.

Heretofore we have paid no attention to the Alameda County Water District, merely considering the whole proposition a result of popular demand, meeting with unanimous approval of the community, but if the rumbling and grumbling of inquisitive taxpayers increase the way it has been doing the last few days, Lassen county will fade into oblivion when she compares her volcanic eruption with the disturbance promised in this end of our county.

Mr. Taxpayer's questions are positively annoying

to any one who has accepted the water district as the best thing for the people.

Evidently there are many arguments against the policy of the commissioners, so in our consideration for the citizens who are paying the bills and deriving no benefit for cash expended, facts will be given the voters who may have been caught napping and they may have an opportunity of again going to the polls expressing themselves in a recall.

The best of us are liable to make mistakes but affairs of this kind can easily be remedied.

In the meantime we will look over the pertinent questions of Mr. Taxpayer and find out what he is hollering about.

## SOME PERTINENT QUESTIONS

Niles, April 5, 1915.

Mr. Editor: I would like to ask the Water Commissioners of the Alameda County Water District through your paper, a few questions:

1st. What is the object of having so many men do the same work over and over again?

2nd. Is it not true the data you now are taking is on record and has been for some time?

3d. When will you have the water flowing under the Niles Bridge all summer as it did before the Spring Valley Company paid in cash for riparian rights more than the land was worth?

4th. In what way are the taxpayers to receive any benefit for all the money they are paying out? And how long will they have to keep on paying for nothing?

5th. Will it be necessary to bring suit to recover our lost rights or the rights some of the Commissioners sold us out on?

6th. If it cost us 12 cents on each \$100 for the year 1914 to maintain the commission expenses when we had no suits or trouble, how much will it be when we have lawyers' fees, court and witness expenses to pay fighting a rich corporation or city?

7th. What have the commissioners done so far for the small taxpayer or the small land owners with the money he has to pay?

8th. Is not the sole benefit of this district organization to benefit the large holders of creek and over-flow lands by filling up their gravel beds and adding soil to their marsh lands at the expense and taxation of the district?

I would like to have the answers to these questions published for the edification of the public.

A TAXPAYER.

## TOO MANY JUDGES

Mr. Editor:

I see by the papers that we are to have two more judges for this county, or, at least, we are going to have a chance to vote for them, which is equivalent to election. I, for one taxpayer, am opposed to any more, and contend that we have more now than is really needed.

A couple of our judges appeared before the Senate Committee at Oakland and said their calanders were crowded and they had to hire outside judges in order to keep any ways up with their work. I want to say right here, if the judges were to run their courts instead of the lawyers running them, there would be but few cases on the calander.

For the last eight years there is not two judges out of the six that has averaged three hours a day of his time on official business. Ask any juror how many days he receives pay for his services during the three months he served. That will give you an idea as to whether we need more judges or not. Why not the law-makers call some of the jurymen that have served and get their opinions.

By ONE THAT IS INTERESTED

Every good citizen of this town should take a special local pride in all that pertains to home. The schools, the churches, the amusements, the business, pleasures, the picnics, the celebrations, in fact everything should be looked on by our own people as just as good as can be gotten up elsewhere. The town that says "we can," will always succeed.

It is not a bit too early to talk about and lay plans for building operations during the coming spring and summer. As everybody knows, we need more dwelling houses at a reasonable rent. An honest and an economical man does not fancy the idea of giving half of his monthly wages for house rent. People who have the means should encourage such honest and industrious men by building houses that can be rented cheaply and yet be reasonably profitable to the investor.

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this page each week  
during the season

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## NEWARK TIGERS DEFEAT CENTERVILLE CUBS

The 1915 baseball season in Newark opened last Sunday with a game between the Newark Tigers and the Centerville Cubs. The Cubs led for six innings, but the Tigers managed to claw their way to victory by a final score of 8 to 3.

The Tigers will take on a fast City team next Sunday morning.

## NEWARK IDLEWILD DEFEAT WIXONS

Newark opened the season Sunday before a banner crowd when Jim Wiggs' Idlewild team downed the Wixons of Oakland by a score of 8 to 4. The wind made good ball playing impossible, but nevertheless the fans were all satisfied with the way the team lined up. St. Clair let the Wixons down with six hits, while Remmer for Wixons was touched up for 12 smacks. Coleman mashed a finger in the last inning, which will keep him out of the game for a while.

## ESSANAY SENDS TROUPE TO LOS ANGELES

Charles Chaplin and his troupe of Essanay artists left Wednesday for Los Angeles where they will work in a number of pictures in the southern country.

## RED WATSON SIGNS FOR 10-ROUND GO WITH WELSH

Red Watson has been matched to box Freddie Welsh, April 20. It is not known yet just where the bout will take place, but presumably it will be staged either at Hudson or Milwaukee, and, of course, will be a ten-round affair.

## STATE LEAGUE TO OPEN

The California State League of Independent baseball clubs will open next Sunday with games as follows: Oakland at San Jose, Berkeley at Modesto, and Alameda at Stockton. Twenty-four of San Jose's twenty-nine games will take place at home. Sunday ball only will be played. The season is to close October 24.

## DANCING SCHOOL TO OPEN FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 9

Mrs. Burns Johnston, the dancing instructor, will open her school Friday evening in Connors Hall. A large number of former pupils have signified their intention to again take up the art of dancing under her instruction.

Those wishing to learn and improve themselves in the different steps and dances should take advantage of these lessons.

## NEWARK IDLEWILD TO PLAY WERNERS OF SAN FRANCISCO

The Idlewild team of Newark will play the Werners of San Francisco next Sunday, April 11th. The Werners will bring up a fast team and a real god game is expected. The Idlewilds will play the same lineup they had last Sunday.

## JESSE ROBINS NOW RIDES CLASSY BUICK ROADSTER

Jesse Robins, director for the Essanay Film Company, is the proud possessor of a new Buick roadster, which he is now trying out over the good Alameda county roads. Mr. Robins is a busy young man, directing the making of photo play films, and takes his recreation in his new car.

## CENTERVILLE LIBRARY

The following is the report of circulation of the Centerville library for the month of March, 1915.

Religion 1; Sociology, 8; Useful Arts, 21; Literature, 7; History 7; Travel, 4; Biography, 1; Juvenile, 166; Fiction, 302. Total 793.  
Fines, 90 cents.  
Attendance, 902.

## NILES-ESSANAY INDIANS DEFEAT LIVERMORE, 20

The Niles-Essanay Indians defeated the Livermore Giants in the opening game of the series between the two clubs by the score 2 to 0. The features of the game was a triple play by the visitors and the pitching of Fodder Dolan.

The visitors had in their lineup, Devine and Allen, late of the Newark club and Rollans, a well known twirler.

The locals found the ball nine times while all the Livermore boys could do off Dolan's delivery was three. Dolan struck out sixteen men.

The triple play was a crackerjack. Robinson was lading off third and Breslau doing the same thing at second. No one was out. The hit and run sign was thrown up with Dolan at the bat. Fodder cracked the first ball pitched right on the seam. It went like a shot out of a rifle straight to the left of Shortstop Silva. The little shortstop ran towards second, jumped in the air, stabbed the ball, threw to third for the second out, and Devine returned the ball to Silva for a triple.  
The score:

## ESSANAY-INDIANS

	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Esola ss	4	0	1	0	0	1	
Sund c	4	0	0	16	0	0	
Wittenmeyer lf	4	0	2	3	0	0	
Breslau rf	4	1	2	1	0	0	
Dolan p	3	0	0	0	1	2	
Total	30	2	9	26	2	3	

## LIVERMORE GIANTS

	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Rubart 1b	4	0	1	1	0	0	
Devine 3b	4	0	0	2	3	0	
Silva ss	3	0	0	3	2	2	
Allen 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0	
Worth 2b	3	0	0	0	3	0	
Roland p	3	0	0	1	4	1	
Selaya lf	4	0	0	1	0	0	
Tubbs c	3	0	1	7	1	0	
Draghi cf	3	0	0	0	1	0	
Totals	31	0	3	24	14	3	

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## TRUTH AND PARADOX

Most fanatics, cranks and madmen, says Rev. Dr. Frank Crane, in his new work, "Footnotes to Life," are those who are unable to understand a paradox. Every truth has its opposite, which is also true. Sanity consists in understanding this; insanity is failing to see it.

Workable, everyday truth is made up of two or more contradictions. The true doctrine is always a balance.

What we call Orthodoxy has outlived the Hersies, because Orthodoxy as a rule dares to retain the mystery of opposing truths, while Heresy as a rule has been too logical, and becomes mad with clearness.

For instance, the truth lies not in Fate (determinism, predestination) nor in Free Will, but in Both.

Man is not a Spirit nor a Brute; he is both. Whoever excludes wholly the one or the other from his idea of man is not so much untrue as he is crazy.

So the religious fanatics on the one hand and the atheists on the other; the temperance wild men, and the drunkards; and all those who swing to extremes, are illustrations of the rule that sanity is a balance and not a hard certainty.

There are a large number of truths, says Pascal, that seem repugnant and contrary, yet which subsist together in an admirable order. The source of all religious errors is the exclusion

of one or another of these truths.

FOR SALE—Lot 81x322, containing young bearing fruit trees; \$1,500. See STANTON & JUHL.

## NILES WILL OPEN SEASON WITH NEWARKK SUNDAY

The opening game of the season between the Niles-Essanay Indians and Newark will be played at Newark this coming Sunday and it will also be the first game of the series between the two clubs. As heretofore, great rivalry exists between the clubs, and a battle royal is expected.

Del Snow was in town this week and announced that his team this season will be 100 per cent stronger than last season. From the following line-up one would think so, but then, again, the Indians always have the same strong battling team on the field, and are never defeated until the last man is retired.

Del Snow's line-up will be as follows: Thollander, catcher; Glaverman, and Remmer, pitchers; Allen, first base; Bartrim, second; Kerr, third; G. Davis, short; J. Devine, Berquet, H. Davis and Hamilton, out fielders.

## SON OF F. MENDOZA PASSES AWAY AT MISSION SAN JOSE

The son of Frank Mendoza passed away last Wednesday. Death was caused by the inflammation of the bowels. He was under the care of a nurse and Dr. Grimmer of Irvington.

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## BOMBARDMENT OF TURKS CONTINUES

Firing Kept Up to Protect Mine Sweepers and Prevent the Repairing of Batteries

London.—According to a Reuter dispatch from Athens, a dispatch from Tenedos says that several of the allied warships continue an intermittent bombardment of the Dardanelles, solely to protect the mine sweepers and to prevent the Turks from repairing their batteries.

London.—The British steamer South Point, the crew of which was landed April 1 at Lisbon, was not lost in a storm, as at first reported, but was sunk by the German submarine U-28, sixty miles off Cape Finisterre, according to a Reuter dispatch from Lisbon.

London.—While the German submarines continue their activity around the coasts of Great Britain, the naval wing of the royal flying squadron keeps up its attacks on the German submarines which are being built at Hoboken and on the submarine base at Zebrugge.

The Germans have added two more steamers to the long list of merchantmen sunk off Beachy Head. The victims this time were the French steamer Emma, which was torpedoed April 1, without notice, nineteen of her crew going down with their ship, and the British steamer Seven Seas, sent to the bottom the same afternoon, without warning, eleven of her crew being drowned.

On the other hand, the British have no means of ascertaining the nature of the damage done by the bombs dropped at Hoboken and Zebrugge, although it is believed that two of the under-water craft lying at the mole of Zebrugge were damaged.

## WORK OF LEGISLATORS

### AT STATE CAPITOL

The Assembly, by a vote of 56 to 7, refused March 31 to reconsider its action this week in passing the Pettis bill requiring the State Board of Harbor Commissioners to issue monthly statements of receipts and disbursements.

Senator Crowley's bill creating a State Board of Embalmers passed the Assembly March 31, 46 to 14, after it had been denounced by Assemblyman Henry W. Brown as a measure designed to establish an "undertakers' trust."

The Butler "dry zone" bill, by which nearly 500 saloons in San Francisco would be forced to close and which would make San Jose, Chico and Santa Clara "dry," came within one vote of passing the Senate March 31. The final line-up was 19 to 19.

A proposed amendment to the constitution to enable church organizations to hold social affairs or dinners in the church buildings and still enjoy the privilege of not having to pay taxes on their church property was adopted by the Assembly March 31.

The State Board of Education has announced its opposition to Senate constitutional amendment 15, which would provide free text-books of a State series in high schools, the same as are now provided for the elementary schools. The Board considers the proposition impractical, unwise and an unnecessary expense upon the State government.

A bill of interest to apartment house keepers has been reported favorably by the Assembly Judiciary Committee. It is a measure which will give to apartment houses the same right now possessed by hotels to place a lien for unpaid rent on the baggage of guests, and after ninety days have elapsed to sell the same. Chamberlain of Los Angeles is author of the bill.

## MARSHALL TURNS CRANK AND IS PAID ONE DOLLAR

Los Angeles.—As a feature of his visit here March 31, Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall was taken to one of the large moving picture camps. The movie men were filming an Egyptian drama and, just as the veiled princess entered, the director called the Vice-President over and told him to turn the crank. Marshall ground off several yards of film, after which the director handed him \$1 for work as an extra. Marshall pocketed the dollar.

## ARMIES LOCKED IN DEATH STRUGGLE

Russians and Austrians Continue Fighting for Carpathians in Ice Covered Hills and Passes

Petrograd.—Locked in a life-and-death struggle in the ice-covered passes and hills, Russian and Austrian armies are battling for possession of the Carpathians, according to a dispatch of April 3. The combat which may mean almost complete annihilation for the vanquished, is believed to be approaching a decision.

With infantry and artillery constantly engaged, the battle is being waged along a 20-mile front extending from Vola Michlova toward the Sen river. Upon its result depends the success of the invasion of Hungary by the Slav forces and the possible ending of the war through Emperor Franz Josef suing for separate peace to save his empire from disintegration.

## EXPERT DIVERS FROM N. Y. TO RAISE F-4

\$20,000 Authorized to Lift Hulk of Submarine by pontoons

Washington.—Expert divers from the New York Navy Yard were ordered to Honolulu March 31 to aid in raising the sunken submarine F-4.

Honolulu (T. H.).—As a result of the Navy Department's authorization March 31 of \$20,000 for the work of raising the submarine F-4, believed to be water-logged on the ocean bed just outside the harbor entrance, officials under the leadership of Lieutenant C. E. Smith, submarine flotilla commander, have made plans for salvage operations on a big scale.

All efforts to raise by cables an object, said by officials to be the lost F-3, having failed, the pontoon method will be resorted to.

Six 100-ton scows will be towed to the spot, beneath which in 45 fathoms of water the submarine is believed to be lying.

After the scows have been weighted with water chains linked to the F-4

will be attached to them. Then the water will be pumped out of the scows and as their hulls rise they will lift the hulk below.

An improved diving tube, with which it is hoped to facilitate the salvage operations, is being put through a number of tests before the risk is taken of putting a diver in it and lowering him into deep water.

## COMMISSION ASKS FOR STATE HIGHWAY BIDS

Sacramento.—Bids were asked April 1 by the State Highway Commission for the construction of thirty-six more miles of State highway, all of it in Portland cement concrete base. Units will be constructed in Sonoma, Contra Costa and Monterey counties. Bids will be received April 26th.

Three separate contracts will be let in Monterey, aggregating twenty-four and three-tenths miles. The purpose of the extensive work in Monterey is to complete the gap connecting the highway in Santa Cruz with that in San Luis Obispo counties. Very little work has been done in Monterey other than the grading of the San Juan pass.

## DIVORCED WIFE CHARGED WITH KIDNAPPING SON

San Jose.—Mrs. Eva Landry, divorced wife of Richard Landry, a business man of this city, was arrested April 1 on a charge of child stealing and detained at the police station, together with her five-year-old son, Delphin, for a couple of hours and then released on \$3000 bail supplied by San Jose merchants.

According to the husband's story, the child was awarded him by the San Jose courts and had been placed with his sister at Los Gatos. He said that his divorced wife called there and carried away the boy without permission in an automobile. Mrs. Landry stated that she merely desired to have the boy with her on Easter Sunday.

## FLAMES CONSUME HALF OF THE TOWN OF CENTERVILLE

Oakland.—Half the town of Centerville, twenty miles from this city, was destroyed by fire at an early hour Saturday morning, April 3.

Practically all of the business section was destroyed. The damage is estimated at \$75,000.

## AMERICANS IN MEXICO CITY APPEAL TO PRESIDENT WILSON

Refusal to Publish Facts as to Situation Is Severely Criticised at Meeting of the American Colonists

El Paso.—A statement from the American colony at Mexico City was brought to the border April 3 by Arthur Bullard Johnson, a delegate representing jointly the 2,000 Americans and the international committee of the capital district, aggregating more than 10,000 persons.

The resolutions were drawn March 10 at a meeting of the American colony.

"The last request that Americans leave the capital was sent by Secretary Bryan at a time when he must have known that there was no railroad exit," said Johnson, who is an American attorney. "My arrival here was after a trip of the utmost uncertainty."

The message requested Bryan to make its text public, to which the secretary replied that he did not consider this wise.

On March 12 the American colony sent the following and final reply:

"The Americans resident in Mexico City do, in mass meeting, express their appreciation of the Secretary of State's message of March 12, as communicated to them by the Brazilian Minister. However, they most respectfully submit that it is their fixed opinion, deduced from the last four years' experience, that the time has come to accept the Mexican situation for what it is, and not for what it might be hoped that it may become, or what interested leaders or warring factions may try to represent it to be.

"The record is clearly written in facts which show the true value of the pretensions of contending groups.

"They are not surprised that General Carranza should renew his promise to exert himself to the utmost to protect lives and property of foreigners, but they submit that the true value of a promise should be estimated by what General Carranza has done and decreed since his triumphal entry into the City of Mexico on August 15 last.

"The arbitrary taking from Mexicans and foreigners of property, including houses here, automobiles, gas and unquestionable duty to afford, and they further respectfully express the hope that their views may be given such publication as may effectively assist the American people in forming a sound opinion of the Mexican situation."

## Jess Willard Knocks Out Jack Johnson and Becomes Heavyweight Champion

Havana.—Jess Willard, Kansas cowboy, is the new heavyweight champion of the world. Jack Johnson, the Texas negro, who won his title from Tommy Burns in Australia, was knocked out here in the twenty-sixth round April 5. More than 11,000 persons saw Johnson go down to defeat from a terrific swing on the jaw.

## VILLA PAYS \$20,000 TO M' MANUS WIDOW

Bryan Receives Telegram From Mexico City Thanking Him for Forced Reparation

Washington.—An indemnity of \$20,000 in gold, it was announced by Secretary of State Bryan March 31, has been paid by the Zapata-Villa government to the widow of John D. McManus, a Chicagoan, who was slain in Mexico City by Zapata soldiers about three weeks ago.

Enrique C. Llorente, Villa's agent at Washington, was at the State Department when Secretary Bryan announced the payment of the indemnity.

The department ordered a full report on the settlement, and it is expected that it will contain some written regrets as to all the incidents, including the insult to the flag, connected with the murder of McManus.

## CALIFORNIA AUTHORS GIVEN BOOST BY STATE BOARD

Sacramento.—The State Board of Education announced its intention, April 2, of adopting all of the seven manuscripts submitted on California history and to publish them as part of the State textbook series. Miss Anne Nicholson, State textbook expert, reported that she had read the manuscripts presented, and seven of them were of unusual merit.

The authors of the manuscripts are all Californians. The seven are Ella M. Sexton and P. F. Valentine, both of San Francisco; Herbert E. Bolton and F. E. Taggart, University of California; Emma K. Wilson, Chico; J. D. Sweeney, Red Bluff, Henry K. Norton, a Los Angeles attorney.

rages, furniture, money and crops; the issuing of decrees so in contravention of right, fairness and justice as to be almost incredible; the deliberate, persistent and ill-concealed attempt to starve a city of 500,000 inhabitants, depriving them of water, fuel and transportation; the shipping of defenseless women in locked cattle cars to Vera Cruz; the carrying away of the controllers of electric street cars, thus paralyzing transit; the closing of the courts and schools; the holding of priests for ransom; the arrest and detention of 300 business men, who had assembled at the request of the general in charge of the city; the persecution of Spaniards, suppression of mails and violation of sealed correspondence, both foreign and domestic; the removal of public archives and the stripping of public buildings; the open invitation to riot and loot; the sacking of churches and desecration of images; the killing of men and the outraging of women, are events too recent and well known to permit of their being overlooked in forming judgment.

"The wantonness of such acts renders it impossible to accept the professions of the factionists, or their counsels as to the course to be pursued by foreigners.

"They consider that American civilization is on trial, and that it has a duty to perform to humanity which no longer should be postponed.

"Mexico is drifting toward total destruction, from which a mistaken altruism is powerless to save it.

"The present struggle does not represent the efforts of a people to secure liberty and equal rights, so much as a class of personal ambition and revenge.

"Americans in Mexico look to the administration for the protection which they believe it is their due to receive and which they believe it is their duty to afford, and they further respectfully express the hope that their views may be given such publication as may effectively assist the American people in forming a sound opinion of the Mexican situation."

Los Angeles.—Huge breakers which tore out sections of piers at various ocean shore resorts Friday night, April 2, and damaged numerous cottages on the Strand, claimed the life of William H. Reeder, a painter who started out from Santa Monica in a small motorboat on a fishing trip with John H. Muer. Losing their bearings in the morning mist they steered their boat from a sheltered inlet into the breaker line.

San Rafael.—Plans are being made by the city trustees, in conjunction with the Central Marin Chamber of Commerce, to celebrate three propositions which will work for the advancement of the community, all of which will be in effect within the coming sixty days. Now that the subscription required for the opening of the Hotel Rafael is hovering around the necessary \$10,000 mark, the rehabilitation of that caravansary is assured; the municipal baths will be completed and opened to the public shortly, while the Marin-Richmond ferry system construction is being rushed to completion.

## TWO BRITISH SHIPS SUNK BY GERMANS

Flaminian and Crown of Castile Sent to Bottom of Sea, But Without the Loss of Life

London.—Two German submarines, the U-28 and another, the number of which has not been ascertained, which have been operating off the west coast of England during the past week, have added two more British steamers, the Flaminian and Crown of the Castile, to their list of victims, totaling five.

There was no loss of life on the Flaminian and Crown of Castile, the crews of each being given bare time in which to get into their boats. In the case of the latter vessel, however, the submarine fired before the crew left the steamer and shells passed along the bridge on which the captain and an apprentice were standing.

The Crown of Castile was sunk by shell fire, but this did not prove sufficient to send the Flaminian to the bottom, and a torpedo had to be used.

## ASTOR PARTY ARRIVE IN THEIR PALATIAL YACHT

San Francisco.—Vincent Astor's yacht, the Noma, arrived here April 3 from Port San Luis. The yacht left Santa Barbara April 2 at 8 o'clock in the morning without Mrs. Astor, who had started north two hours before in an auto with Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Perkins. At Port San Luis Mrs. Astor joined her husband on the yacht and they arrived here together.

Mrs. Astor expressed herself as delighted with the automobile trip, which she took for the purpose of getting a better view of the country between Santa Barbara and Fort San Luis.

## NEWS OF THE GOLDEN STATE

TERSELY TOLD

### Along the Pacific Coast

San Jose.—So enfeebled by the weight of his 75 years that he found it necessary to employ a guide to assist him to walk, John Bennett Mallory, a Los Angeles capitalist, March 31 re-married Louisa Letitia Mallory, 32 years old, whom he divorced eight years ago.

San Jose.—The secret wedding of Dr. Charles K. Small, well known in Los Gatos, to Mrs. Marta Miles, a divorcee of New York, was made known here April 1, when Ella Wood of New York filed suit in the Superior Court against "Mrs. Marta Small" to collect several hundred dollars said to be due the plaintiff under the terms of a lease.

San Jose.—Carey H. Barrett, a well-to-do realty man of Morgan Hill, divorced his wife, Gertrude H. Barrett, so he could marry his pretty stenographer, according to testimony given April 1 in Superior Judge Welch's courtroom by Mrs. Barrett. The aforesaid pretty stenographer, now Mrs. Barrett No. 2, sat in the courtroom and took some private stenographic notes of what Mrs. Barrett No. 1 said.

San Diego.—California ripe olive day was generally observed here March 31, visitors and residents sending olives to friends throughout the United States. At the Panama-California Exposition there were special displays of California olives, and young women, dressed in Spanish costume, distributed olives free to visitors. On the downtown streets, girls distributed olives from booths which were decorated with olive branches.

Menlo Park.—To give this town a tighter grip on its title "Beautiful Menlo," the Citizens' Improvement Club has been formed and an active executive committee named to devise ways and means for making it one of the most picturesque residence sections of the peninsula. It is proposed to

install modern drainage and sewer systems and modern street paving and sidewalks and to make a particular effort to induce the railroad to beautify the station.

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## PROHIBITION QUESTION ARISES IN ENGLAND

King Offers to Give Up Use of Liquor in Royal Household

London.—King George has added his plea to that of the ship owners and in some cases that of the laborites themselves, that some vigorous measures be adopted to cope with the question of drunkenness, which, it is urged, is having the effect of delaying the delivery of munitions of war.

The King has volunteered, if it is considered advisable, personally to give up the use of all alcoholic liquors and to issue an order against their use in the royal household. Such a notification has been sent to David Lloyd-George, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, by the King's private secretary, Lord Stamfordham.

## MRS. CLARKE TO BRING PRIZE BEAUTY TO S. F.

Washington.—Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the Speaker of the House, is to chaperon to San Francisco the "most beautiful girl in Washington," this title being determined by a beauty contest now in progress here.

### San Joaquin Valley

Fresno.—Plans for the seventh annual California Raisin Day celebration here on April 30 are rapidly nearing completion, and it is expected that all details will be worked out by the middle of the month.

Stockton.—City Commissioner D. J. Matthews and wife were driven from their home at the point of a pistol late Thursday night, April 1, by a burglar, who ransacked the residence and made his escape.

Stockton.—Within twenty-four hours the City Clerk recently issued building permits aggregating \$102,700. This, officials claim, is a record of which the city may well be proud, and one which indicates that business depression is having little effect locally.

Paris.—Raymond Swoboda, who says he was born in Fresno, Cal., one of the passengers aboard the French line steamship La Touraine, which was imperiled by a fire at sea on March 6, has been arrested, charged with setting fire to the vessel, according to the Matin.

Fresno.—L. Parker Timmins, pioneer of Fresno and leader of local Republicans, died Thursday, April 1, at 3 o'clock a. m., as the result of a dose of strychnine which he took the night before with suicidal intent. Financial reverses are given as the cause.

Stockton.—Mrs. E. S. Riley, a well-known woman of this county residing near Lodi, committed suicide April 1 by slashing her throat with a knife. The body was discovered in the barn by the husband. Ill health is supposed to have been the cause of the woman's act.

### Sacramento Valley

Sacramento.—Hadji Ali Onssaid, an Algerian peddler, was murdered in the lower part of the city late April 2 by three men and a woman, who secured cash estimated at \$2000. Mrs. R. Wixson, the woman sought by the police, was traced by bloodhounds for four or five blocks.

Davis.—Killed by the absorption of carbolic acid into his system from a burn on his hip is the verdict of Dr. W. E. Bates of Davis in the death of Abel Grauel, horticultural foreman at the university farm here. Grauel was found Thursday night, April 1, near his home and died a few minutes later. A bottle of acid he had been carrying in his hip pocket had broken and he had sustained a severe burn.

Chico.—Robert Lee Davis, who was returned to Chico March 31 from Oregon in the custody of Constable J. A. Peck, is not Theo Thiel, wanted in San Francisco for auto thefts and bail jumping, is the belief of Detective Ed Gibson of Chico, formerly chief of the identification bureau of the San Francisco Police Department. Davis confessed cashing a fictitious check for \$650 on the Butte County Savings Bank, and signed an order returning to the bank the \$599 found on him when he was arrested at Eugene.

## STEAMER LOCKWOOD IS SUNK BY A DIVER

Projectile Strikes Engine Room But Crew is Saved

London.—The British steamer Lockwood was torpedoed by a German submarine Friday night, April 2, off Star Point, in Devonshire. The members of the crew were saved.

A German submarine pursued the Lockwood for several miles before being able to gain a position from which she could discharge her torpedo. The projectile struck the steamer abaft the engine room, but the crew of twenty-five found time to lower a life boat. Later they were picked up by a trawler and brought into port.

The steamer Lockwood was owned in London. Built in 1896, she was of 677 net tons and 236 feet long.

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## ANTI-LAND MONOPOLY CAMPAIGN IN TEXAS

The land situation in Texas, as revealed by the Governor's message to the legislature of that state, urging the limitation of rents charged by landholders against tenants, and by the newspaper comments thereon, no doubt has come upon the American people in the nature of a surprise if not in the nature of a shock. Rents are so oppressive in Texas that, according to the Governor's recommendations, conditions might be modified if the tenant farmer should not be compelled to pay the landlord more than one fourth of a cotton or one third of a grain crop. As matters stand, however, on the authority of the Governor, it is said, the farmers of one of the most fertile states in the American Union, one of the most fertile regions in the whole world, are getting no better living than do Mexican peons from their labor.

Texas, it is pointed out, has a larger area than the German empire. Manifestly Texas is not yielding to the farmer, earning from the land or adding to the wealth of the nation or of the world in any measure commensurate with its possibilities or its opportunities. It is not, evidently the fault of the soil of Texas, or of the sunshine of Texas, or of the geographical location of Texas. It is, we think, the fault of an economic system that, if continued, would be likely to place that state in the condition of Ireland before its land was liberated.

It is proposed in Texas that a step be taken for the redemption of its land from the double blight of landlordism and peasant tenantry through an amendment to the state constitution that will abolish all taxes on the products of labor and industry and that will levy the cost of government solely on land values. Tremendous tracts of idle land are held as "investments," in other words, held for speculation, in Texas. A tax on land values would make the holding of these lands unprofitable; they would then be thrown open at more reasonable prices to settlers, the rent-racked farmers presumably would step out of landlordism into proprietorship, and the farms of Texas would be cultivated wholeheartedly, not half-heartedly as now.

The land system that has silently and secretly fastened itself upon Texas is a relic of feudalism. Texas by some means, is determined that it shall go, and Texas is wise in this determination. But in the last analysis, land privilege in Texas is only an exaggerated form of an abuse that is world wide. Land, the source of all material production, should be universally liberated not for the benefit of the landlord, the landowner or the tenant, but for the benefit of humanity in general.

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Sunday, April 11, 1915.

10 a. m. Sunday school

11 a. m., Sermon by the pastor on "Various Kinds of Moving."

7:45 p. m., Popular Service address on "What Can the Church do to Help Solve Social Problems?"

### APRIL SCHEDULE FOR COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Monday, April 5, Hayward.  
Friday, April 9, Castro Valley.  
Monday, April 12, Murray township,  
at Livermore.

Wednesday, April 14, Pleasanton.  
Friday, April 16, Oakland.

Tuesday, April 20, Irvington.  
Friday, April 23, Centerville.

Monday, April 27, Newark.

Wednesday, April 28, Niles.

### DANCE AND CARD PARTY

The Alvarado ladies, members of the Country Club of Washington township, are to give a dance and card party on the evening of April 10, at the Club house in Centerville. Everyone is invited to attend. Admission will be 25 cents.

The affair is to be given for the benefit of the Club House Building Funds. Fine music will be provided and nice refreshments will be served.

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### WARM SPRINGS BALL TEAM TO GIVE ANNUAL DANCE

The Warm Springs Baseball team will hold their annual dance on the evening of April 24th, at the Warm Springs school house. Good music has been engaged by the committee in charge, and a large attendance is expected. A fee of 50 cents will be charged for gentlemen and ladies will be admitted free.

### PICNIC AT FERNBROOK PARK SUNDAY, APRIL 11, 1915.

The picnic season at Fernbrook Park will open Sunday, April 11th, when the Consolidated Clubs of San Francisco will give their picnic there.

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# LOCAL NEWS

Miss Viola Gomez of Centerville spent Tuesday with Mrs. Destrella.

Miss Mae Bryan and sister, Florence, of San Francisco spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Salter.

Alfred Rego of San Francisco spent Sunday with Mrs. Salter.

Percy Orpin returned from San Francisco where he spent the last week with his sister.

Mrs. P. A. Ellis expects a visit from her son, Austin and wife and little baby this week. Mr. Ellis is living at Folsom at present.

Mrs. Geo is entertaining relatives from San Francisco this week.

Miss Edna Bliss visited friends in San Jose this week.

Arthur Champion and J. Champion were out on a fishing trip this week end. Both young men came home with the limit.

Mrs. E. Walker was in San Francisco one day last week.

Mrs. Hicks is entertaining relatives at her home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chaix of Oakland spent Easter with Mrs. Chaix.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jensen visited relatives in Oakland this week.

Mr. Allie Bertolozzi of San Francisco spent the week end with relatives in Niles.

Miss Amy Bliss was in Oakland shopping on Monday.

Mrs. E. S. Drennen entertained a number of friends at her home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of San Jose spent Saturday with Mrs. G. Chase.

Miss Thomas, who has been visiting with Miss Margaret Lynch, has returned to her home in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Thane, with a party of friends, motored to Oakland Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Thane went to the Fair to hear the Stabat Mata.

Miss Mollie Meyer, who has been sick the past week, is much improved.

Trinity Guild met with Mrs. Clarence Martenstein Wednesday afternoon. Final arrangements were made for the card party, April 9.

Niles Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. John Dassel Thursday afternoon.

A paper on "Mrs. Humphry Ward" will be read by Mrs. Adams of Centerville.

Bobby Burroughs, Chief Esola, and Fodder Dolan have rented apartments on Second street in the Nesler building.

Mrs. Harvey entertained a number of friends at her home over Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ethel Cecil spent the later part of this week at the Belvoir as guest of friends there.

Dr. Sontheimer of Oakland was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Duffy on Sunday.

Mr. W. Nixon, the Farmer Adviser of Hayward, and Professor Gregg of the Agricultural Department of University of California, were the guests at the Belvoir at luncheon on Tuesday.

Cyril Williams of San Francisco spent a few days in town this week.

Jerome Sharpe and Charles Strothers, one of Jerome's school friends from Piedmont, spent Sunday and Monday at the Belvoir.

Mrs. M. Schofield, Mrs. McHugh and Mrs. Chittenden were guests of Mrs. Mayhew at luncheon on Wednesday.

Miss Consuelo Howard, who has been spending a few days with Mrs. M. B. Sneden, is spending a few days at the Belvoir.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Alberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alberg and little baby spent

Saturday and Sunday in Fruitvale where they attended a party on Saturday night.

Mrs. Leslie Rice, who is a guest at the Belvoir, went to Oakland on Tuesday on a shopping trip and returned on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Oakland spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. R. L. Duffy. Mrs. Martin is a sister Mr. Duffy.

While on his way to Indian Creek and La Costa on a fishing trip, L. A. View had the misfortune to fall from his motorcycle, but escaped without serious injury. Mr. View captured 27 small trout, the weather being too cold and water too high for a successful catch.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Newcomb of East Oakland and Mrs. Satterlee of Hayward, wife of the former Dr. Satterlee, were Easter Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oakeshotte. Mr. Necombe came recently from Ogdenville to act as Pacific Coast traveling representative of the Edison Battery Company, with headquarters in San Francisco.

Mrs. Kirke, Mrs. Philip Moore and Mrs. Clarence Martenstein from Niles were elected officers of the Country Club at the meeting in Centerville club house on Tuesday last.

Mrs. W. B. Kirke is the Deputy District Matron for the order of the Eastern Star, and visited the order at San Leandro last Wednesday. Her district comprises the towns from Oakland to Livermore.

Rev. Hyde and family are moving into the parsonage this week.

Miss Amalie Meyer has been quite ill recently and under a physicians care. Her condition has caused her friends considerable anxiety.

Miss Consuelo Howard of San Francisco has been spending the week in Niles as the guest of Mrs. Sneden and at Belvoir. Mrs. Sneden entertained a few friends on Tuesday evening of her party to her guest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cobb came up from San Francisco for the week end

with Mrs. Mayhew.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bonner of San Francisco visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bonner.

Mrs. E. P. Hutchins of Berkeley is visiting friends in Niles this week. Mrs. Mayhew entertained half dozen at luncheon on Wednesday in her honor.

Boys calling "Extra!" on the streets Monday evening, giving the account of the prize fight in Cuba, made our little village assume a cosmopolitan air.

The Woman's Club is holding its regular meeting this (Thursday) afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dassel. Numbers on the program are: "Current Events"—Mrs. Edgecomb; "Resources of Glen, Butte, Yuba and Sierra Counties"—Mrs. Philip Moore; and a paper on Civics.

Kite Robinson and Manuel Medeiros were out on a fishing trip on the opening day of the fishing season.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Boronda spent Easter in Livermore.

Eddie Grover spent Easter Sunday in Pleasanton.

Mrs. Edward Kintz and little son of Stockton are the guests of her mother, Mrs. L. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore are planning on renting Mrs. Mayhew's home. Mr. Moore is going into the chicken business.

Mrs. Fonte was in town this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Lucas in the Glen.

Mrs. A. Butler and Mrs. M. Petersen motored to Irvington on Friday where they spent the day with friends.

Miss Aileen Pires of Warm Springs is spending the week with Miss Lillian Roderick.

Miss Marie Melcher of Oakland is visiting relatives in town. Miss Melcher was formerly of Niles.

### NEWARK IMPROVEMENT CLUB WILL GIVE DANCE APRIL 17

The Newark Ladies Improvement Club is planning a dance to be given at Newark on the evening of April 17.

It will be at the Newark Pavilion. Brohaskas orchestra of San Jose will furnish the music. The admission price will be 25 cents for gentlemen and ladies free.

### NILES CITIZENS GO FISHING

Messrs Horace J. Craft and Chester Hatch motored to Indian Creek on the opening day of the fishing season. The gentlemen fished for two hours and each came within 50 of catching the limit. How many did they catch.

### SCHOOLS AND EPIDEMICS

Doubt as to the wisdom of closing schools in epidemics of contagious diseases is expressed by Dr. Francis George Curtis, of Newton, Mass., in a bulletin on the "Health of School Children" just issued by the Bureau of Education. He says: "If the schools are closed when an outbreak occurs, the children are turned loose from supervision; they mingle freely with one another in the streets, on playgrounds, and in each other's houses. They are having an extra vacation and enjoying themselves thoroughly and are unwilling to admit that they feel ill, lest they be kept at home and prevented from having a good time. For this reason they will not say they feel ill until the disease is well advanced, and they may be active sources of infection for some time before it is discovered that they are ill."

"If the schools are kept open and the children continue in the classroom as usual, they are under strict observation and examined daily by the school physician, suspicious and infected cases being sent home for observation or treatment."

"In this way many children are sent home before they have had an opportunity to infect others, thus reducing the probability of spreading infection. Further than this, the attention of the parents is called to the fact that the child is feeling ill and he is brought under treatment earlier."

"It seems, therefore, that keeping the schools open offers the best chance of safety for the pupils, both collectively and individually."

"Instead of closing the schools and allowing the children to be scattered and removed from supervision, when an outbreak appears the schools should be kept open as usual and the children urged to attend. The school physician and nurse should be detailed to the school where the outbreak has appeared and instructed to examine every child daily, excluding such as appear ill or suspicious. This can be done with very little disturbance of the school work. A note must be sent to the parent stating that the child seems, or is, ill and must be seen by the family physician. Suspicious cases must be ordered to remain at home until further notice, and, if necessary, must be visited in order to settle the diagnosis. Absentees must be rounded up and examined in order to find out why they have been kept at home. If they are

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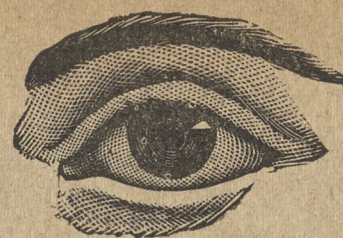
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